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REMARKS

In response to the previous election of species requirement, Applicant elects Species #2 characterized by Figures 2A and 2B. Applicant notes that claims 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 11, 13-16, 18-21, 27-31, read upon Species #2.

Applicant reserves the right to proceed with any non-elected claims in any continuing application.

SUMMARY

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at (650) 428-1600.

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